GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Public Servants – Sri Y.Pulla Reddy, JDA Guntur (Now retired) – Departmental Proceedings under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 – Article of charges – Issued.

AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 181

<u>Dated:24-1-2013.</u> Read the following:-

- 1. From the CoH, Hyd Lr.No.Vig.II (2) 764/2012, dated 9-1-2013
- 2. G.O.Ms.No.15, Agrl. & Coopn. (Vig.I) Dept., dated 24-1-2013.

ORDER:

In pursuance of the sanction accorded by the Government under sub-clause (i) of clause (b) of sub-rule (2) of Rule 9 of the A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 for initiating Departmental Proceedings against Sri Y.Pulla Reddy, Joint Director of Agriculture Guntur (Now retired) Vide reference 2nd read above, it is proposed to hold an inquiry against Sri Y.Pulla Reddy, JDA Guntur (Now retired) in accordance with procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

- 2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of Articles of Charges (Annexure-I). A list of witnesses by whom, and a list of documents by which the articles of charges are proposed to be sustained are enclosed (Annexure-II and III).
- 3. Sri Y.Pulla Reddy, JDA Guntur (Now retired) is directed to submit within 10 days of the receipt of this G.O. a written statement of his defence and also to state whether he desires to be heard in person.
- 4. He is informed that an Inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charge as are not admitted. He should therefore, specifically admit or deny the article of charge.
- 5. Sri Y.Pulla Reddy, JDA Guntur (Now retired) is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para-3 above, or does not appear in person before the Inquiry Authority or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 or the orders/directions issued in pursuance of the said rules, the inquiring authority may hold the inquiry against him exparte.
- 6. The receipt of this G.O. shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ANIL CHANDRA PUNETHA,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri Y.Pulla Reddy, JDA Guntur (Now retired) (through the C&DA, Hyd) **Copy to**

The C&DA, Hyd., with a request to serve the order on the C.O., and return the served copy with dated acknowledgement. The CoH, Hyderabad. SC/Sf.

// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

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ANNEXURE-I

Statement of Article of Charge framed against Sri Y.Pulla Reddy, JDA Guntur (Now retd.).

<u>Article of Charge:</u> that the said Sri Y.Pulla Reddy, while working as JDA Guntur (Now retired) had failed to monitor handling of fertilizers by APMARKFED and distribution of fertilizers as per Government guidelines. Due to his slack supervision and monitoring of fertilizer distribution, leads to non-tallying of stocks between MARKFED and JDA, Guntur and also distribution of fertilizers in violation of Government's guidelines.. Thus he is negligent in the discharge of his official duties which attracts violation of Rule-3 of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964."

Basis of Charge The Vigilance and Enforcement Department in his report No.91 (C.No.997/V&E(Dev-II)/D1/2011), Dt.01.11.2012 has informed that they have conducted enquiry into the allotment of fertilizers made by the Joint Director of Agriculture, Guntur to APMARKFED and distribution to various Institutional agencies in Guntur district during Kharif 2010 and after verification of records available with O/o. JDA, Guntur O/o. DM. APMARKFED and other agencies like PACS, ARSK etc. Verification revealed (a) discrepancy of allotment of fertilizers made by JDA and distribution made by APMARKFED, Guntur (b) Improper maintenance of records and lackadaisical approach displayed in discharging duties by JDA, Guntur and DM, APMARKFED, Guntur.

His slack supervision and monitoring of fertilizers distribution has given scope for the above lapses which attracts the violation of Rule-3 of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

Hence the charge.

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ANNEXURE-II

List of documents by which article of charge against Sri Y.Pulla Reddy, JDA Guntur (Now retd.) are proposed to be sustained.

1. Vigilance Report No.91 (C.No.997/V&E(Dev-II)/D1/2011), Dt.01.11.2012 of V&E Dept., Government of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

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ANNEXURE-III

List of witness by which article of charge against Sri Y.Pulla Reddy, JDA Guntur (Now retd.) are proposed to be sustained.

-Nil-

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